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RICHMOND, VA., SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1909.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

## Exquisite Lingerie Dresses Suitable for Graduating Gowns!

Crisp Voile Skirts, \$5.98  
\$8.50 Value; May Sale Price,

Crisp Voile Skirts, in all sizes, taffeta trimmed with folds and buttons, \$8.50 values; special.....

Excellent values in Voile Skirts, taffeta and self trimmed, new models just in, at \$8.50 and....

Fine Mohair Skirts, in black and gray, narrow band trimming in new designs, all sizes; special.....

Smart Shepherd Plaid Skirts and Fancy Gray Mixtures, full flare, nicely tailored; special.....

Fine Robe Effect  
and Batiste Dresses,  
handsomely trimmed in  
Val. lace and Baby  
Irish, in the latest de-  
signs. These are ex-  
clusive models—at

\$25.00

Handsome models  
in White and Colors,  
entire dress trimmed in  
Val. and heavy lace,  
with deep flounce pin  
tucked, twenty-dollar  
values—special

\$17.50

Very Effective Lin-  
gerie Dresses, in white  
and colors, with hand-  
some embroidery pan-  
els and Val. lace trim-  
ming, in robe effect,  
\$18 value, special

\$15.00

Dainty models in  
fine Batiste Dresses, in  
white and colors, ef-  
fectively trimmed, all  
new styles, at

\$12.50

Excellent values in Lingerie  
Dresses, all colors and white  
Princess styles.....150 Lingerie Dresses, in all  
colors, daintily trimmed in Val.  
All new modes—special.....We will place on sale Monday 200  
Lingerie Dresses, in white, pink, blue  
and Lavender, some have panel fronts, of fine  
embroidery and Val. trimming,  
Dutch necks, 10 different styles,  
a positive \$8.50 value—special

## Linene Wash Skirts, \$1.00

White Linene Skirts, full flare  
with narrow band trimming, nicely  
made; special.....Colored Polka Dot Skirts, also  
black cannon cloth, all sizes, full  
flare with fold, at.....Tailored Wash Skirts, in white  
and tan, buttoned down front;  
special \$1.25 and.....Fine Repp Skirts, 15-gore model,  
strictly tailor finish, some fasten  
down front with pearl buttons.....

## Our Great May Sale of Silks, Commencing To-Morrow, Continues All Week!

\$4.98 For Long Silk Kimonos, silk trim-  
med, superb Japanese designs,  
were \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00.\$1.00 for Large Flowered  
Crepe Kimonos,  
with satin border;  
worth \$1.50.\$1.69 for Satin Stripe Crepe  
Kimonos, pink and  
white, black and  
white, and blue and  
white; \$2.00 value.\$3.48 for Emple Crepe Ki-  
monos, with exqui-  
site flowered de-  
signs; elegantly  
trimmed with satin.Rubdry Bath Towels,  
An absolute requisite for the health  
and beauty of the skin.  
Rubdry Wash Cloths, 5c & 10c ea.This sale is not the distribution of broken lots, but our regular goods—that  
means color lines are complete, qualities are best, assortments the very choic-  
est. This is a sale destined to arouse feminine enthusiasm to a high degree,  
and many will anticipate their needs as well as supply their immediate wants.75c Rough Pongee, 27 Inches Wide, 58c  
IN ALL THE WANTED SHADES\$1.50 Yard Wide Messaline Silk, with  
beautiful lustrous finish; May Sale  
price.....75c Messaline Silk, in beautiful two-  
tone effect, monotone and chevron stripe;  
May Sale price.....50c All-Silk Chiffon Taffeta Silk, in the  
newest stripes and checks; May Sale  
price.....\$1.25 Black Messaline Silk, with  
beautiful lustrous finish; May Sale  
price.....50c Pongee Foulard Silks, in all the  
new stripes, figures and dot patterns;  
May Sale price.....150 Short Lengths of Silk, from 2 to 6  
yards, consisting of every variety of de-  
sirable silk, at HALF PRICE.\$1.00 For Fine Pongee Parasols, in  
green, red, blue and tan. Very  
special values.At \$1.50 Elegant Linen  
Parasols, with nat-  
ural wood handles.At \$2.00 All-Silk Parasols,  
in plain white or  
black; extra quality.At \$1.50 All-Silk Parasols,  
in all the wanted  
plain colors.Children's Parasols, in every wanted shade,  
elegantly made, at  
50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50Faultless Night Robes for men, low  
neck, plain or trimmed, cut full, made  
of extra good quality muslin.....

New and Wanted Dress Trimmings

Black Jet Trimmings, in exquisite designs and  
all the wanted widths, at, per yard, 25c, 30c,  
50c and.....Embroidered Emblem Wash Sets, in all col-  
ors and the newest designs; per set, 15c and...  
Allover Silver and Gilt Net, something  
entirely new and strikingly beautiful; per  
yard.....Pack Your Winter  
Wearables AwayIn moth-proof, air-tight Tar  
Bags, price 40c, 50c, 60c  
and 75c per bag.  
Tar Paper, by sheet 1  
yd. wide 1-4 yds. long, 5c.

Hand Drawn Linen 1/3 Under Price

A purchase of 312 pieces of the Finest Irish Linen Hand-Drawn Squares  
and Scarfs at a very low figure enables us to offer the best values in this depart-  
ment ever before shown.They consist of the most desirable sizes, being in Squares 24x24, 30x30 and  
36x36, and in Scarfs 18x27, 18x36, 18x45, 18x54 and 18x72. Prices run from 65c  
to \$1.25, and their value, as you will see by inspection, is from 75c to \$2.00.\$1 Black Percaline Petticoats,  
\$1.00 Black Percaline Petti-  
coats, made with a shirred  
tucked flounce; sale price....\$5.00 Taffeta Silk Petticoats,  
\$5.00 Taffeta Silk Petti-  
coats, in black and  
colors.....

29c Pekin Stripe Mull, 19c Yard

Pekin Stripe Mull, a beautiful sheer  
material, on which is printed beautiful  
floral designs, in lavender,  
pink, blue, yellow and green;  
a regular 29c value; sale priceLucille Batiste, a very fine cloth, on  
which is printed a large assortment of  
dots, stripes and figures, in all of the  
new and most wanted colors;  
a good 19c value; special

## Danville Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
DANVILLE, VA., May 8.—Mrs. W. W.  
Vicar and little daughter, Alice, of Norfolk,  
who have been visiting friends here, are now  
visiting Mrs. T. B. Fitzgerald at Willow  
Oaks, near Cascade.James A. Robertson, who has been con-  
fined to the General Hospital for some time,  
is improving, and is now at the home of R.  
H. Herndon, Green Street.Prof. John L. Berkeley was called to  
Richmond this week on account of the seri-  
ous illness of his father, Dr. W. L. Robinson,  
Main Street.Miss Mabel Kane, of Greensboro, was the  
guest this week of Miss Ethel Graham,  
Green Street.Mrs. James M. Seegar is visiting friends  
in Baltimore.Miss Fannie Harrison Patton, who has  
been on an extended visit to Richmond,  
Boynton and Clark streets, has returned home  
and is the guest of her father, James P.  
Harrison.Miss Mary Ruffin is visiting in Georgia.  
Mrs. Frank W. Lee attended a reunion of  
the class of 1905 of the Presbyterian Col-  
lege at Charlotte, N. C., this week.Warrenton Social News.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
WARRENTON, VA., May 8.—Miss Cassie  
Sovere is at home again after a visit of  
several weeks in New Orleans, La.  
The young women of Warrenton gave a  
dance at Bethel on Friday night, which was  
very enjoyable. Miss Sadie Sublett acted as  
chairman of the occasion.Invitations are out to the Founders' Day  
exercises and hop at Bethel Academy, which  
will take place on May 14. A large number  
of people from Warrenton and several towns  
in the vicinity are expected to attend.  
William P. Wilbur, of Philadelphia, has  
purchased 480 acres on the Waterloo Pike  
and will build a residence, which he  
will occupy. The land is a part of the  
Martin Roney estate.

## Ashland Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
ASHLAND, VA., May 8.—Mrs. Harry  
Smith, of Horn Quarter, was the guest  
of Mrs. William McKee this week.Mrs. Richard Lee, of Sumter, S. C., is  
visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. T. Carter.  
Rev. Mr. Hepburn spent a few days  
here this week, with friends.Mr. and Mrs. Schuchard Fox have returned  
from a visit to Mrs. Bell in Lynchburg.John Kiser, of Atlanta, Ga., is a guest  
at the Henry Clay Inn.Mrs. and Mr. A. Gray have returned  
from a visit to Maryland.Miss Fennell, of Wilmington, N. C., is  
visiting Miss Matilda Midyette.Mrs. William Jones and Miss Mayne P.  
Jones are at the Henry Clay Inn for the  
summer.Mrs. A. R. Gunn spent a few days with  
Mrs. D. B. Easter this week.Mrs. W. C. Egan was the guest of  
friends in Richmond Wednesday.

## WestPoint Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
WEST POINT, VA., May 8.—Dr. Clyde  
F. Ross, one of the resident physicians of  
West Point, will leave July 1 to take a  
leave of absence in New York  
before settling elsewhere. Dr. Ross is from  
Louisiana county, and came here immedi-  
ately after his graduation at the University  
of Medicine, in Richmond, as the  
assistant of Dr. William K. Gatewood in  
his declining years. Dr. Ross, of Ur-  
bana, will succeed Dr. Ross. Dr. Bagby  
is the son of Captain and Mrs. A. F. Bagby,  
of Tappanville.Miss Julia Jennings, of West Point, has  
accepted a position as "central" in the  
Telephone Exchange at Gloucester Court-  
house.Miss Marian Lewis and Miss Nannie Mc-  
Candish, two students at Stuart Hall,  
Staunton, from this section, figured con-  
spicuously and were specially mentioned  
in the great May day festival, May 1.Miss Lady Lewis attended a dance re-  
cently at the Hermitage Club, given by  
Pi Kappa Alpha Society.Mrs. John S. DeBarre left this week to  
visit friends in Baltimore. Thence she  
goes to Washington, D. C., for a visit.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Leath, of Alder-  
son, Va., were the guests of this week  
of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leath.Mrs. Lucy Byrd Dudley has finished her  
school course at Rumford, and is at home  
again for a while. In a few days she will  
visit her mother, Mrs. Janet Hoskins, at  
Saluda.John D. Elms, who spent the past year  
on the Pacific coast, is again with his  
family here.Miss Emily Fuller is visiting friends in  
Urbana.Miss Myrtle Carr has just returned from  
a visit to Baltimore.

## Cobham Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
COBHAM, VA., May 8.—The community  
of Cobham was shocked at the announce-  
ment of the burning of the handsome new  
dwelling of Charles Bowcock, about six  
miles west of Cobham, near the Chesapeake  
and Ohio Railroad, on May 5. It occurred  
about 10 o'clock in the morning, and it is  
thought that the fire started in the attic, where  
the fire had made considerable progress  
when discovered.Cobham was again visited by a  
killing frost, which brought widespread  
damage to all garden vegetables and small  
fruits. The prospect for a large crop of  
strawberries was never finer than it is  
this unseasonable frost, and corn, to-  
atoes, etc., shared pretty much the same  
fate.The closing of the public school at Cle-  
mont, where the children of the neighbor-  
hood are educated, was the occasion of a  
large gathering of neighbors, and a num-  
berous contingent from Charlottesville, and  
that vicinity. There were speeches by  
several noted educators, singing by the chil-  
dren, and solos by Mrs. Frank Thurman  
and Miss Liggett. Among those who deliv-  
ered addresses were Professor Ormond  
Stone, of the University of Virginia, Mr.  
Maphis, of Charlottesville, and Judge R. T.  
Duke, of Charlottesville. The school,  
has a high reputation and the past ses-  
sion has proved most successful. The prin-  
cipal is Aylett Everett.Mrs. Polk has just bought a sister of  
C. C. West's famous old blackbird, the  
champion high jumper. She has at an-  
nounced that she will keep it, although  
the owner did not know that this  
bird was a sister of Blackbird, he called  
her by that name. Mrs. Polk will re-  
tain Blackbird, and her mother was a nearly  
identical bird.The Cobham Bridge Club met again Wed-  
nesday at "Brookwood," the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. George Houghton. The club is  
deploring that this will be the last meet-  
ing at "Brookwood" for some months, as Mr.  
and Mrs. Houghton are leaving for a Euro-  
pean tour, and will not return before Sep-  
tember. Their absence will cause a  
vacancy in the club, which Mrs. Polk is  
every one is glad that they are to have  
such a charming trip.Mrs. Laird, of Chase City, is stopping  
with Mrs. Otto Notting at Cobham Park.Milton, N. C., where she spent the win-  
ter, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. T.  
C. Miller.Miss Margaret McNutt left Monday  
for Chattanooga to attend the Mis-  
sionary Conference of the Methodist  
Church, now in session.Edmund Pendleton and little daugh-  
ter, Jane Byrd, are in Charleston, S. C.,  
this week, the guests of Mr.  
and Mrs. Nathaniel Willis.

## Roanoke Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
ROANOKE, VA., May 8.—Mrs. T. J.  
Burke entertained a few of her friends at  
dinner Thursday afternoon at her home on  
South Jefferson Street.The Southwest Shakespeare Club met  
Monday afternoon at the home of the Pres-  
ident, Miss Mary Work. The club is pre-  
paring to present one of the plays during  
May.Miss Agnes Moore, of Charlottesville, who  
has been the guest of Miss Alice Izard, re-  
turned home Wednesday.Mrs. Channing Newton has returned from  
a visit to Pulaski.Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunklee, of Chris-  
tiansburg, are the guests of Mrs. C. W.  
Saunders.Mrs. W. S. Channahan has returned from  
a visit to Lynchburg and Natural Bridge.Miss Carolyn Bury, of Atlanta, who  
has been the guest of Mrs. Arthur Wood,  
has returned home.Misses Sarah and Elizabeth Miller have  
returned from Texas.Miss Annie Bagwell, of Raleigh, N. C.,  
is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Kennedy.

## Toano Social News

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TOANO, VA., May 8.—Alexander  
Traynam is visiting his father, Rev. J.  
D. Traynam.Mrs. W. L. Jones, of Williamsburg, was  
the guest of Miss Dorothy Rogers  
this week.Mrs. L. C. Martin went to the Mem-  
orial Hospital Wednesday, where she  
underwent an operation.Mrs. Mary Allen Warren was in  
Richmond last week.Cleveland Wright has accepted a posi-  
tion in Newport News. He will begin  
work Monday.Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Porter lost their  
baby this week. It died Wednesday  
morning, after a few days' illness.Mr. B. N. Early, of Montvale, is the  
guest of Mrs. H. U. Stephenson.[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
BLACKSBURG, VA., May 8.—Mrs.  
Howard F. Reed entertained a company  
of young people Tuesday evening in  
honor of her house guest, Miss Ellen-  
beth Prad, of Middleburg.

Mrs. Robert B. Nelson has returned

## Norwood Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NORWOOD, VA., May 8.—Mr. and Mrs.  
W. J. Heath and children were visitors  
in Scottsville last week.Miss Elizabeth Walker, of Clifton  
Forge, is spending the week-end at the  
home of her father, Professor G. W.  
Walker.Mrs. Sadie R. Richardson left for  
her home at Bedford City, after a two  
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